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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/825,315  
Applicants: Hirokazu SAKAI, et al.  
Filing Date: April 16, 2004  
For: HAIR SHAMPOO COMPOSITION  
Group Art Unit: 1751  
Examiner: DELCOTTO, GREGORY R

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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AN ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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In response to the Restriction and an Election of Species Requirement mailed June 15, 2006, Applicants provisionally elect with traverse the invention of Group I (Claims 1-7) and the species amphipathic amide lipids of formula (1).

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.